GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA

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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that some private firms have participated in construction of toilets under Swachh Vidyalaya initiative;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether more private firms have shown interest to participate in the said programme; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
(SMT. SMRITI ZUBIN IRANI)

(a) Yes, Madam.

(b) 12 private firms participated in construction of school toilets under the Swachh Vidyalaya initiative and constructed 3466 toilet blocks during the period from 15.8.2014 to 15.8.2015.

(c) & (d) Apart from the above, contributions were received from private entities to the Swachh Bharat Kosh (SBK) for construction of school toilets under the initiative. An amount of Rs. 161.68 crore was released from SBK to 24 States Governments for construction of school toilets.

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